

Federal Communication Commission

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Dear Chairman Ajit V. Pai:

I am a student at Brooke Point high school in Stafford Virginia, and will soon turn 18 and be able to vote for laws and have an opinion on the ideals of the United States. During my computer science class this year, we talked about the topic of net neutrality and its importance and impacts on individuals. I believe that net neutrality is essential to the regulation of the internet to give all corporations the same chance to grow and expand.

I write to express my support for a free and open internet. Over the past twenty years, American innovators and creators have created countless amounts of internet-based applications that have positively impacted society and how users communicate and exercise their abilities to learn new materials. These innovations have created enormous value for Internet users, fueled economic growth, and made our Internet companies global leaders. The innovation we have seen to date happened in a world without discrimination and has been a platform for free speech and opportunity for millions.

The commissions long standing commitment and actions undertaken to protect the open Internet should not change so that the Internet has the opportunity to remain an engine of entrepreneurship and economic growth for users.

According to the recent news reports, the Commission seems to be turning on the idea that an open internet is beneficial to the world and therefore wants to rule against net neutrality. The commission intends to create a platform where cable and phone providers will have to discriminate both technically and financially against Internet companies and impose tolls upon them. If these reports are correct, this represents a huge threat to the open and free internet platform that we know today. Thank you for your time and I hope that you can take my stance into consideration.

Sincerely,

Tayler Anderson